PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: M. Dastouri
KITAHIRO KANEDA	)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2623
Application No.: 09/212,434	)	
	:	
Filed: December 16, 1998	)	
	:	
For: COMMUNICATION SYSTEM AND	)	October 21, 2002 (Monday)
CONTROL METHOD THEREOF,	:	
AND COMPUTER-READABLE	)	
MEMORY	:	

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 19, 2002, the period for response to which having been extended to Monday, October 21, 2002, by the accompanying Petition For Extension Of Time, please amend the above-identified application, as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims and add new Claims 79 and 80 to read as follows.

All claims currently in the application, including those not amended, are reproduced below.

A marked-up copy of amended claims, showing the changes made thereto, is attached.

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on
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Andrew D. Mickelsen, Reg. No. 50,957
Name of Attorney for Applicant
Andrew D. Mickelsen 10/21/02
Signature   Date of Signature

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☐ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 75	MINUS	** 73	= 2	x $9 $18	$ 36.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 17	MINUS	*** 15	= 2	x $42 $84	$168.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims $140°/$280						$ 0.00
			TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---			$204.00

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**   If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
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☐ °Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.

☒ A check in the amount of $204.00 is enclosed.

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☐ Charge $____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
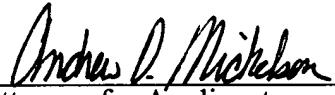
☒ Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

☒ A check in the amount of $920.00 to cover the fee for a three month extension is enclosed.

☐ A check in the amount of $____ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.

☒ Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office by telephone at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

Andrew D. Michelson

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